

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-02626-CRC**

ZAVALA RIVAS v. EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR  
IMMIGRATION REVIEW  
Assigned to: Judge Christopher R. Cooper  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 08/30/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
08/30/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT <i>under FOIA</i> against EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-6352227) filed by JOSE PEDRO ZAVALA RIVAS. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Exhibit 1 FOIA request, # <u>3</u> Exhibit 2 Receipt, # <u>4</u> Summons to EOIR, # <u>5</u> Summons to USAG, # <u>6</u> Summons to USAtty)(Messer, Benjamin) (Entered: 08/30/2019)
09/05/2019		Case Assigned to Judge Christopher R. Cooper. (zrdj) (Entered: 09/05/2019)
09/05/2019	<u>2</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zrdj) (Entered: 09/05/2019)
09/13/2019	<u>3</u>	AMENDED COMPLAINT <i>for writ of mandamus and FOIA</i> against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW filed by JOSE PEDRO ZAVALA RIVAS. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 3 MTR 1998)(Messer, Benjamin) (Entered: 09/13/2019)
10/30/2019	<u>4</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Derek S. Hammond on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW (Hammond, Derek) (Entered: 10/30/2019)
10/30/2019	<u>5</u>	ANSWER to <u>3</u> Amended Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW.(Hammond, Derek) (Entered: 10/30/2019)

10/30/2019		MINUTE ORDER: Before the Court in this FOIA case are a complaint and an answer. It is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall promptly confer and file a joint proposed schedule for briefing or disclosure by November 13, 2019. Signed by Judge Christopher R. Cooper on 10/30/19. (lccrc2) (Entered: 10/30/2019)
10/30/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Proposed Briefing Schedule due by 11/13/2019 (lsj) (Entered: 10/30/2019)
11/08/2019	<u>6</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW. (Hammond, Derek) (Entered: 11/08/2019)